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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
HISAO KURODA, ET AL. : EXAMINER: SRIVASTAVA, KAILASH C.  
SERIAL NO: 10/517,311 :  
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FOR: METHOD OF SCREENING MALT :  
AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING  
FOAMING MALT BEVERAGE

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed October 9, 2008, Applicants  
provisionally elect with traverse Group I.

Applicants request that the Examiner consider the following:

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.